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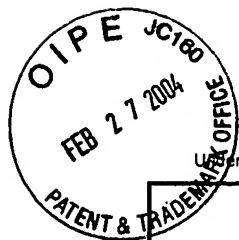
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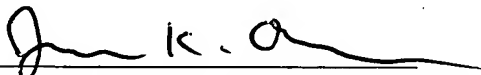
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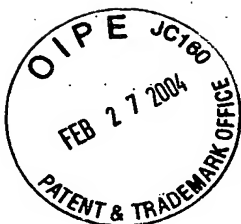
Respectfully submitted,
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Enclosure



PATENT APPLICATION

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SWITCHING MESH WITH BROADCAST PATH REDUNDANCY

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I hereby state that I have reviewed and understood the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment(s) referred to above. I acknowledge the duty to disclose all information which is material to patentability as defined in 37 CFR 1.56.

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